Sad Story Related by Louisa Cone to the Court

HER SON HAS ALL HER MONEY

And She Avers He Not Only Will Not Give Her Any of It, But le

Eliza Cone, a woman who has through the greater portion of se score and ten years allotted sen life, began an action in chan-sterday in the circuit court, in she makes allegations which shere which she makes allegations which show a sad instance of a child's ingratitude to a parent. She says that she was tecently possessed of \$1,000 for the support of hor old age, and that her son, Loyal Cone, represented to her that she was too old to properly look after such a sum, and suggested that she gire it to him. She had evidently, never read the story of King Lear, and yielded to her son's persuasions. He thereupon deposited the money in the Old National bank in his own name, and since then, she avers, has never given her any of it, but has already drawn \$300 of it out, and wasted that som in riotous living. She therefore asks for a temporary order restraining her son from drawing out any more money, and that what is left may be restored to her. The Old National bank, in which the money is deposited, is made co-respondent in the suit.

Dr. Barth's Case Set for February 19.

Judge Reuben Hatch, who defends Dr. Barth, appeared in the superior court yesterday and announced that his client would not be ready for trial before the last of February. It was therefore agreed to set the trial for February 19, but if important witnesses who, it is claimed, are out of the state do not return a continuance over the term will be asked for. Prosecuting Attorney Wolcott stated that as Mr. Ward did not wish to aid in the trial, he would ask to be allowed to employ M. L. Dunham to assist him. This was granted. Mr. Ward does not wish to try the case because Miss Swanson is a domestic in his employ. Dr. Barth's Case Set for February 19.

He Had His Credentials.

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Anthur Turner, a checker for the Columbia Transfer company, was in police court yesterday charged with soliciting baggage at the union depot. He showed a letter from W. O. Hughart, president of the Grand Rapids & Indiana railroad, stating he had given Mr. Turner and all employes of the Columbia Transfer company the right to solicit baggage on the railroad company's grounds. That settled the case, and Turner was discharged. The complaint was made by a private expressman, who feels that the transfer company now has a complete cinch on depot business.

Fighting Over the Spotts.

N. P. Allen yesterday began action in the circuit court to recover his share of the \$1,700 awarded the lawyers in the Fred H. Leonard litigation by Judge Adsit's recent decree. Mr. Alles claims to have done \$740 of work in the case even after Mitchell & LaGrou were the attorneys of record and asks that W. W. Mitchell and Lewis H. Withey be summoned to show cause why they should not pay the \$1,700 into the hands should not pay the \$1,700 into the hands of the register of the court, there to await an equitable division. Judge Admit made an order to that effect and the case will be heard next Monday.

Changed His Mind Late.

Yesterday afternoon when W. J. Williams was placed on trial for stealing a toilet bottle from Leonards & Sons store in the daytime, his attorney, Daniel Malcolin, announced that he would plead guilty to a charge of simple larceny. Judge Euclingame thereupon left the prisoner to a private room to give him the usual examination, but after talking with him in private for a short time he returned and ordered the trial to proceed. It appeared that Mr. Williams had changed his mind. The case is on trial.

Dismissed Their Petition.

Judge Severens made an order yesterday in the case of Cold Blast Feather company vs. Nelson, Matter & Co., dismissing the petition of the Boyden & Wyman Lumber company. The latter company asked the court to make an order compelling the receiver for Nelson, Matter & Co. to pay the freight on a shipment of lumber, which was rejected by Nelson, Matter & Co. before they failed. The receiver is willing to give up the lumber, but declines to pay for shipping it.

Will Have a Rebearing.

Judge Severens announces that a re-hearing will be given in the case de-cides against the Detroit, Grand Haven a Mileaukee Railroad company for vio-lation of the interstate commerce law. It was claimed that the company dis-criminated against Ionia in favor of Grand Rapids in the matter of free cart-age. The company seeks, through a re-hearing, to be given the privilege of ex-tending free cartage to all of its patrons in every town its inner enter. And the Dog Still Lives.

Justice Brown yesterday granted a judgment for \$47.25 and costs against Joseph Jeannette and in favor of Ida Wagner. Miss Wagner swors that Mr. Jeannette had a large, bad tempered dog which hoerated her thigh so that site was unable to walk for several weeks, and she sued for \$100 damages. Attorney Dan Malcom claims it was not Jeannette's dog, but a low lived cur which did the biting, and will appeal the case for his client.

There were 1,181 city cases disposed of in 1831 in police court and 570 state cases. The fines collected amounted to \$1,850.70, a total of \$0.705.8). The total expense of running the court was \$770 less than the total amount malacted.

Minor Court Notes.

fering L Lee petitions the probate court to be appointed guardian of John Wilson, a minor resident in this city. John J. McNaughton of Lowell sake the probate court to appoint him ad-ministrator of the estate of his wife. Rebeccu, who left an estate of \$550.

A. Cornelle Rinck of Holland town-ship. Ottawn county, has hegen fore-thouse proceedings to recover \$200 on a note and mortgage given him by Flowie J. DeVries and others.

Frank D. Saunders petitioned the probate court to be made guardian of his mother. Summa Saunders, whom he alleges is old and feetile and incapable of taking care of her catata.

HER ALL IN DANGER by him and \$111.10 remains in his hands John Timmerman, who burgiarized William Handlon's saloou on Walker arenue, admitted his guilt in police court yesterday and was held for trial at the present term of the superior

A jury in the superior court found John Wright, the colored man who fought the police so desperately one week ago on Island street, guilty of re-sisting an officer. He will be sentenced

that sum.

An amended declaration was filed in the case of Mary Bolos va The Valley City Deek company in the superior court yesterday. Mrs. Boles sues for damages for the death of her husband, who fall into the elevator shaft at the deak company's factory last spring.

The will of Jacob C. Diefenbaker of Caledonia township filed yesterday in the probate court, bequeathe \$400 to his granddaughter, Elizabeth Robins. The rest of his estate, real and personni is given to his son, Philip Diefenbaker. The estate is valued at \$4,000.

Motion for security for cost was granted yesterday in the suit of Gustave L. Wolf against the Masonic Mutual Benefit association. The suit was to recover \$1,000 insurance of the life of Bolosson Wolf which the association claims had lapsed at the time of his death.

Bert Adams, Frank Hollister and Jay Panning, the young men who obtained a judgment in garnishee proceedings from Justice Saunders and were reversed by Judge Holcomb in a test case brought against Adams, settled all the costs before Holcomb and will sue Jus-tice Saunders for the money paid into

United States Circuit Court. Judge Seveness—The Cold Blast. Feather company vs. Nelson, Matter & Co. In repetition of Boyden & Wyman Lumber company; order dismissing pe-tition.

Circuit Court.

Jedog Abstr-Nancy A. Allen va.
Thomas Edward, trespass; motion for
security for costs denied. In re estate
of Fred H. Leonard, a mentally incompetent person; appeal of N. P. Allen
from probate court; cause dismissed
without costs. John H. Hosken va. the
Grand Repids Gas company; on trial.

Judge Grove-L. A. Wolff, administrator, etc., va. Masonic Mutual Benefit association, assumpsit; motion for security for costs granted. Isaac Church va. Mello Veenboer, assumpsit; stay extended ten days. Annie R. Ives va. William H. Ross and Emily R. Sproat, foreclosure; motion to confirm sale. John D. Ford va. Emen J. Savage, assumpsit; on trial. oumpoit; on trial.

Superior Court.

Judge Burlingare—The People va.
John Wright, resisting an officer; verdict guilty. May A. Roles vs. Valley City Deak company, trespass on the case; amended declaration filed. The People vs. W. J. Williams, larceny from a store in the day time; on trial. The People vs. W. J. Williams, larceny from a store in the day time; on trial. The People vs. Johannes Slivers, prize fighting; bondsmen discharged and new bond ordered in the sum of \$400 and respondent remanded to jail. Altie Zwart, administratrix, vs. Joel Collins et al., trespass on the case; motion to set aside service as to Hiram and Joel Collins taken under givisement. The People vs. Jerome Lee, violation liquer law; bail estreated and bench warrant issued (two cases.) ed (two cases.)

Probate Court.

Judge Perkins—Estate John W. Barlow, deceased; bond flied and letters of administration issued to John R. Barlow; appraiser a warrant issued to Wright C. Allen and Aaron Aber; order appointing Walter Parsons and Wright C. Allen commissioners on claims. Estate Rebecta J. McNaughton, deceased; order assigning January 26 for appointing administrator. Estate Jacob C. Diefenbaker, deceased; January 29 assigned for proving will. In the matter of Jennie Willson, minor; order appointing guardian. Estate Emma Saunders, alleged mentally incompetent; January 20 guardian. Estate Emma Saunders, alleged mentally incompetent; January 20 assigned for appointing guardian. Estate Samuel Fietcher, deceased; order allowing administrator's final account. Estate Booyen Booyengo, deceased; order determining heirs. Estate Daniel Nugent, deceased; January 25 assigned for hearing petition for license to sell real estate.

Police Court.

Jedge Haggerr-Arthur Turner, violation vehicle ordinance; diamissed. John Timmerman, burglary and larceny;

A Venice Industry.

Venice owes the accumulation of great wealth from a new industry to one of her natives named Joquin. It was in the year 1656 that he observed that the scales of a fish called the bleakfish posessed the property of giving a milky hue to water. After experimenting with it he discovered that when beads were dipped into it and then dried they as-sumed the appearance of pearls. This covering, however, was easily worn covering, however, was easily worn away, and successive experiments led to the manufacture of hollow glass beads, all blown separately, then polished in revolving cylinders and finally coated inside with the pearly liquid, the latter being protected with wax. This branch of industry is carried on in Venice to this day.—Philadelphia

Neatly Turned.

A Frenchman's gallantry to ladies is A Frenchman's gallantry to ladies is always equal to an emergency. At a party a gentleman of that race stepped heavily upon the toe of a lady, who looked up with an angry frown. "Fardon, madame," he said, brw-ing low, "but I have forgot to bring my microscope."

nicroscope."
"Your miscroscope?"
"But, yes; for to see se leatle feet of madams."—London Tit-Bits.

"I was standin down here on the wharf," began a man who rushed into the Woodbridge street police station, "when a feller comes up to me, and says he's a good mind to kneek my chin oil. Was that agin the law?" "B was assunit, technically speaking," "Blund the sergeant.

plied the sergeant. That's what I told him, but he said he could lick all the law in this town and me on top of M. Then he takes me by the grates, this way, and jorks my head to the right and the left, and says he's a good mind to jork my jow off. Was that agin the law?

"That was both assault and battery."
"That's what I told him, but he sussess and success, and says he owns half the police force and two Judges, and has a soft map. Then he grain off my hat and jumps on it, and hite me a siep on the

"Certainly it was."

"That's what I told him, but he said he also owned the other half of the police force and could buy up any jury. Then he spits on top of my head, and slape my month, and says that if he diffs't have to go to the bank to draw \$10,000 he'd make a knothole of me. Was that again the

"Was it agin the law when he twisted my nose, punched me in the ribs and then turned me ground and booted me

"To be sure."

"Well, that's what I told him, and I'm glad to find out I was correct. Much obliged to you. If I see him again, I'll try and get a bet that he was wrong about it. Goodby. Nice day outdoors."

—Detroit Free Press.

An Effective Pro A man apparently laboring under strong excitement stepped into an insur-ance office on La Balle street yesterday

rning and saked: "Do you give away calendars for 1894

"Yee, sir," answered the agent.
"Printed is big black letters, with red
letters for Sundays?"

"With a string tied to them so they can be hung up in front of you?" "Yes."

"Got plenty of them?"
"We have any quantity of them, sir.

"Mottoes at the bottom telling you about watching out for fires and where to get instred and all that?" "How many companies do you repre-

"Six or eight. There's the old relia-"Never mind. Do all of them send out

"Yes, sir; all except one, but"——
"All except one? Have you one that
doesn't issue any?"

"Then that's the one I'm looking for!" exclaimed the other feverishly. "That's all I want to know about it! I want to insure \$19,000 worth of property in that company. Twe had 27 calendars for 1894 from 27 different insurance companies stuck on my deak since the first of December, and the worm has turned, sirthe worm has turned."—Chicago Trib-

Poor Fellow.

A fast young man was standing in front of a saloon when his little brother came running up almost out of breath and exclaimed:

"Come home quick, Jack!"
"What's the matter?"

"Mother has got a fit."
"Is that all? Merciful heavens, how you scared me! When you first spoke, I thought something had happened to that \$75 pointer of mine."—Texas Siftings.

"Well, young man," said old Mr. Breezy, "while you are at my house I hope you'll feel just like one of the fam-

"Thank you. I'm sure I have every reason to. "What do you mean?"

"Your daughter has just said she would be a sister to me."—Washington

A Tale From Boston. An absentminded man boarded the express for Boston, and in a half reverie 50c

greeted a young man who sat in front of him: "Good morning, Willie. How's your It was his own son .- Harper's Bazar.

Hope Deferred. Cleverton—When do you expect to be married, old man?

Dashaway (gloomily)-I don't know. Cleverton-Why, hasn't she set tha Dashaway-The day? Why, she hasn't set the year yet!-Puck.

Labor

Blinks-So you didn't call all that complimentary talk you've been giving Miss Plainface flattery.

Jinks-Flattery? No.
Blinks-What do you call it?

Jinks-Hard work. - Chicago Inter

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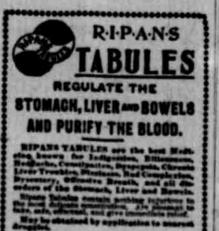
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